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MINUTES
UNOPA GENERAL MEETING
February 9, 1993

DATE & PLACE: UNOPA held its General Meeting at the East Campus Union on Tuesday, February 9, 1993.

WELCOME: Guests were welcomed and asked to stand. President Bennetch asked members receiving their service awards to stand. She then introduced the head table. Michelle Miller, guest speaker; Michelle Sieber, President-elect and Program Director; Linda Pence, Recording Secretary; and Kathy Bennetch, President.

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order by President Bennetch at 12:01 p.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The minutes of the January 12, 1993, general meeting were approved as printed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: The deadline for news articles for *UNOPA NOTES* is February 12, 1993.

The President's Brown Bagger will be February 23 on East Campus and February 24 on City Campus. Shawn Bordeaux, an American Indian, and President of UNITE will be the speaker. This Brown Bagger is open to both members and non-members of UNOPA.

Saturday, March 6, 1993, is the date for the workshop formerly hosted by PSI. The workshop, "Empowering Ourselves As We Age", will be presented by Ruth Thone. There is a \$50 registration fee. Chancellor Spanier encourages us to ask our departments to pay the registration fee. If your department refuses to pay the registration fee, please contact President Bennetch so she may pass the information along.

TREASURER'S REPORT: President Bennetch reported the following balances in Murd Holland's absence:

Beginning Balance (1/1/93)		\$4,516.94
Income	\$ 439.25	
Expenses	\$2,305.68	
Ending Balance (1/31/93)		\$2,631.78

The Treasurer's Report will be filed for audit.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Awards: President Bennetch outlined the Awards procedures established in 1991 which were then revised at the June, 1992, Executive Board Meeting. Those revisions are on file with the Recording Secretary. The motion stated the winner would be announced in *UNOPA NOTES*. A vote by the elected officers amended the motion to read: all the nominees/nominators will be notified so they may attend the Awards/Recognition Luncheon and may notify their associates of the awards presentation.

Being nominated is indeed an honor and we want to help recognize ALL honorees and make sure they have the opportunity to invite their peers to the Awards/Recognition Luncheon in April.

Employee Concerns: Bruce Currin, Human Resources, has asked for three names to be considered to work on a Child Care Task Force. He will select one person to serve this three year appointment from our recommendations. Jeanne Andelt and Michele Strickler have volunteered their names to be submitted to Bruce for this project. If you are interested, please contact President Bennetch.

HOSPITALITY: Linda Gersib has resigned her position as Director of the Hospitality Committee. Linda moved to Olympia, Washington. Sandy Watmore has been appointed by the Executive Board to replace Linda as Hospitality Director for the remainder of the year.

NOMINATIONS: Luise Berner thanked those who volunteered to run for office for the coming year. We still have some positions available. Luise has additional forms if you've lost yours. UNOPA needs your skills and talents. Please consider running for an office or heading up a committee.

Professional Growth: Lola Young announced there are approximately 70 participants registered for the morning workshop on Friday, February 12, and approximately 50 participants registered for the afternoon workshop. Anyone wanting to attend may pay their registration fees at the door.

Ways & Means: Sherry Warren announced we still have cookbooks to sell. Jeanne Andelt won the 50/50 drawing. Jeanne took home \$28 and \$28 went to the UNOPA General Fund.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None.

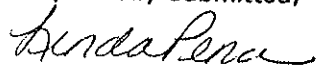
NEW BUSINESS: Sue Drammeh brought to the floor her concerns regarding the position of a liaison person between UNOPA and custodial/food service personnel. It has been suggested for the past few years this needs to be addressed. Sue would like to see the report from Employee Concerns regarding this issue. If we are representing all office/service personnel, we need this position. President Bennetch reported a meeting has been called for all Employee Concerns Ad Hoc Committee Chairs on Wednesday, February 10, and this issue will be addressed at that meeting.

UNOPA's next General Meeting is March 9, 1993, at the City Union. Jan Callahan from HPER will present a program on Healthy Lifestyles.

SPEAKER: Michelle Sieber, Program Director, introduced Michelle Miller, Public Information/Education Director of the Lincoln Council on Alcoholism & Drugs, and today's guest speaker. Michelle works for the prevention of drug and alcohol abuse. She gave a slide presentation regarding the advertising of alcohol and the people these ads target.

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 1:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Linda Pence, Recording Secretary